

Natural Resources Conservation Service

Application Ranking Summary

Animal Waste FA

Program:	Ranking Date:	Application Number:
Ranking Tool: Animal Waste FA		Applicant:
Final Ranking Score:		Address:
Planner:		Telephone:
Farm Location:		

National Priorities Addressed

Issue Questions	Responses
1. Will the treatment you intend to implement using EQIP result in considerable reductions of non-point source pollution, such as nutrients, sediment, pesticides, excess salinity in impaired watersheds consistent with TMDL's where available as well as the reduction of groundwater contamination or point source contamination from confined animal feeding operations?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
2. Will the treatment you intend to implement using EQIP result in the conservation of a considerable amount of ground or surface water resources?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
3. Will the treatment you intend to implement using EQIP result in a considerable reduction of emissions, such as particulate matter, nitrogen oxides (NOx), volatile organic compounds, and ozone precursors and depleters that contribute to air quality impairment violations of National Ambient Air Quality Standards?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
4. Will the treatment you intend to implement using EQIP result in a considerable reduction in soil erosion and sedimentation from unacceptable levels on agricultural land?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
5. Will the treatment you intend to implement using EQIP result in a considerable increase in the promotion of at-risk species habitat conservation?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>

State Issues Addressed

Issue Questions	Responses
1. Will the proposed contract address animal waste concerns by reducing the chance of water pollution caused by run-off and soil contamination caused by excess manure and nutrients associated with AFO and CAFO Operations?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
2. Will the project address inadequate water supplies by increasing the application efficiency of the current irrigation system or livestock water delivery system, or convert the existing system to a more water efficient system, or implement soil moisture conservation measures?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
3. Will the proposed project promote the recovery of habitat for listed threatened and endangered (T&E) species?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>

Local Issues Addressed

Issue Questions	Responses
1. Will clean water runoff (surface or roof runoff) be diverted away from animal confinement areas?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
2. Will the amount of wash water be reduced by changing to a dry litter system?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
3. If not, will the amount of wash water be reduced by another method such as a change in sprinkler nozzles, reducing washing time, or a change in cleaning procedures?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
4. Will animal waste be properly handled, stored and transported to prevent water pollution? Composting Facility (317), Manure Transfer (634), Pond (378), Pond Sealing or Lining (521A), Waste Storage Facility (313), Waste Treatment Lagoon (359)	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
5. Will manure be properly applied to the applicant's land to utilize the nutrients & organic matter? Manure Transfer (634), Nutrient Management (590), Waste Utilization (633)	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
6. Will animal carcasses be composted or incinerated? Animal Mortality Facility (316), Composting Facility (317)	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
7. Does the project area drain to a Water Quality Limited Segment (WQLS)? And, do the planned practices reduce the amount of pollutant that will drain to the receiving waters?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
8. Is the project site located in a watershed with a Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) or Watershed	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>

Restoration Plan? And, do the planned practices reduce the amount of pollutant that will drain to the receiving waters?	
9. Is the project site located in an approved Public Law 566 watershed operation or planning area? And, do the planned practices address the identified resource concern?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
10. Does the project site drain to a coral reef ecosystem? And, will the planned practices reduce the amount of pollutants that will drain to the coral reef ecosystem?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
11. Is the project site located in or adjacent to a U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service proposed "Critical Habitat" area, or located in an area with threatened & endangered species based on field observations or listed sightings within the past 20 years from the Hawaii Biodiversity & Mapping Program? And, do the planned practices address the species?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>

Land Use:

Resource Concerns	Practices
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Ranking Score

Efficiency: Local Issues: State Issues: National Issues: Final Ranking Score:
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This ranking report is for your information. It does not in any way guarantee funding. When funding becomes available, you will be notified if your application is selected for funding. Some changes to the application may be required before a final contract is awarded.

NRCS Designated Conservationist: Signature Date:	Applicant Signature Required for Contract Development: Signature Date:
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